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The Tornado Times is put out at the beginning of each school week.

The contents of the Tornado Times are intended to inform Malden High School students and staff as well as the greater Malden High School community. If you would like to add something please submit the contents to Principal Dana F. Brown, dbrown@maldenps.org. Stories, pictures, reminders, club, activity, and class notes are all welcome.

Go Malden!

Malden High School Vision Statement

The Malden High School community believes in the potential of all students to learn, to grow, and to become active, conscientious participants in the 21st century global society. We believe that students learn most effectively in a safe, respectful environment that encourages diverse viewpoints, promotes critical thinking and perseverance, and establishes rigorous standards for all. We honor the diverse nature of our community, promote social awareness and community involvement, and strive to meet the needs of all students through innovative methods and continual professional development. We are committed to ensuring that Malden High School graduates are thoughtful, independent, purpose-driven, lifelong learners. We seek to equip all students with the skills and habits necessary to successfully navigate and contribute to our ever-changing world.

Good morning,

We come in every day and work hard on behalf of young people from all over. Despite the crazy world around us we stay committed to our students and to their education. As we all know it is often messy.

Thank you for everything you do to teach, nurture, support, and mentor our students. Sometimes in our daily work we see the immediate positive impact of what we do but often we never get to witness the good things that happen in student's lives after they leave us. You have to know that what we do matters.

I encourage all of us to stay focused on students and what they need. Let's also support each other as we do this. Thank you.

"Coach" Jon Copithorne took a Malden High School team to the WGBH High School Quiz Show. It took place at the WGBH building in Boston where Malden was one of 140 schools to compete in the largest High School Quiz Show preliminary lineup in the show's history.

Malden was represented by Kelvin Cheng Bo, Kaitlyn Gibson, Jasper Haag, Merjem Rizvancevic, Andrew Cogliano, and Samantha Forestier.

While the team won't be sure of whether or not they qualified for the TV competition until next Monday, according to Mr. Copithorne the team represented the school well and impressed the moderators with their answers. Thank you Coach and team!

❖ On Friday of this week we will celebrate and recognize three different groups of students. At a 7:15 am breakfast on Friday our Guidance Counselors will recognize the 125 seniors being awarded the John and Abigail Adams Scholarship. The Adams Scholarship is good for the cost of tuition at any Massachusetts State College or University.

Here are the winners:

Name			
ACUNA, MATTHEW	ELLIOTT, LIAM	LEUNG, ASHLEY	PUROHIT, JEET
AMOS, CARLYANN	FAKIROV, ANTHONY	LI, MING HIN	QUESADA NYLEN, LUCIA
ANGULO, BRAYAN	FITZPATRICK, CONNOR	LIANG, ALLEN	QUESSA, CHENEE
ANWAR, AMAL	FONG, HANG	LIGHT, MICHAEL	QURESHI, MOHSIN
AO, STEVEN	FORESTIER, SAMANTHA	LIN, RUN DONG	REGALADO URRUTIA, KAMILA
BRAMANTE, NICHOLAS	GHILE, WENTANA	LIU, CHU YU JADE	RENAUD, GARCELLE
BREEN, CODY	GIBSON, KAITLYN	LOC, VANISE	REYES, CASSANDRA
BROWN, ALEXIS	GILBERT, KRISTINA	LOMBARDI, ALEXANDRA	RIZVANCEVIC, MERJEM
BROWN, YASMENE	GU, EDWARD	LOREUS, MARLY	ROSATONE, SARAH

BRYAN, CHEYENNE	GUERRIER, HERESA	LU, BRANDON	RUBIM, ANA FLAVIA
CARRIERE, ALICIA	GUILLET, ANGELYNE	LUCEY, DEVIN	SANTOS, NICOLAS
CARSTENSEN, CHRISTOPHER	HAAG, JASPER	LUONG, PATRICIA	SATTERWHITE, DARYL
CEPLINSKAS, EMMA	HARRATH, SABRINE	LUU, RYAN	SILVA FILHO, ALEXANDRE
CHEN, LILY	HIMEL, EFRAN ZAMAL	MALLETT, HALEY	SILVA, ARNALDO
CHEN, RYAN	HUANG, MICHELLE	MILAN, RORY	SILVA, GUILHERME
CHENG BO, KELVIN	IRSHAD, HUDA	MO, ANGUS	SMITH, JACQUELINE
CHU, ANTHONY	IVANY, COLLIN	MULLIGAN, HALEY	SOLIS, SANTINA
CHUNG, MICHELLE	KIBAZO, DEBORAH	MUNROE, JESSICA	SPADAFORA, JESSICA
COGLIANO, ANDREW	KULAMAVALAVAN, KAVIN	NGO, BRANDON	SUAREZ SALAMANCA, LAURA A
COOKS, KAREN	KUNSAL, PEMA	NGUYEN, WENDY	TANG, NHU
COPSON, DANIELLE	LAFAUCI, STEPHEN	NORRIS, JOYLYN	THAM, SREY PECH
CORDERO, JOSENRIQUE RICAR	LAHENS, JORDAN	NSUBUGA, TIMOTHY	TRAN, LILY
CROWE, NICHOLAS	LAM, KEVIN	ORDONEZ SALGUERO, CYNTHIA	TRUONG, TRISHA
DANG, TERRICA	LAM, MADELINE	PEIXOTO DOS SANTOS, GUTEM	TSEYANG, TENZIN
DENG, VICTOR	LE, DENISE	PERRIGO, ADRIANA	TUON, ALLYSA MALINATT
DIPIETRANTONIO, MARINO	LE, LYNH HOAI PHUONG	PETER, JOHN	WEN, NUOMING
DO, TRANG	LE, MATTHEW	PHAM, TRI MINH	WILLCOX, GILLIAN
DUARTE, MARY	LEE, DARIA	POUDYAL, SUSHOBHIT	WILLIAMS, ARIELLA
EL ADLOUNI, CHAIMAE	LEE, YUEN TUNG	PRADHAN, SAMRIDDHA	WONG, BAILEY
ZENG, ZIQI	WOO, CALVIN	WONG, STACEY	WONG, RYAN MAN-CHUN
ZHAO, MICHAEL	XIE, JENNIE	YANG, WILLIAM	ZOUHIR, MANALE

After the Adams Breakfast we will recognize students at two different luncheons. At the first ceremony we will honor students receiving Got Grit Awards. Immediately following we will honor Solid as a Rock students. Got Grit and Solid as a Rock nominations come from staff members. Thank you.

Here are the awardees:

GOT GRIT-Friday, November 20, 10:45 am-11:45 am, Boyle 340

- 1. Cassandra Guglielmi
- 2. Bianca Jeudi
- 3. Annie Banh
- 4. Shawn Nice
- 5. Autumnrose Gaul
- 6. Jen Rosario
- 7. Rosa Portillo
- 8. Tifani da Silva Jung
- 9. Djamilah Dos Santos
- 10. Amanda Louis
- 11. Katie Kilbride
- 12. Zachary Hartin
- 13. Sulthana Thajudeen
- 14. Darius Henry
- 15. Danny Mai
- 16. Brian Tran Le
- 17. Aundraya Martin
- 18. Walid Moussaid
- 19. Allison Li
- 20. Kunchok Samkyi
- 21. Edith Lemus
- 22. Ziqi Zeng
- 23. Princeston Mathruin

SOLID AS A ROCK, Friday, November 20, 11:45 am-12:45 pm, Boyle 340

- 1. Syed Hussian (who goes by Hamza)
- 2. Maddie Lam
- 3. **Iessica Horacius**
- 4. Michelle Clerge
- 5. Vincent Truong
- 6. Yan Oliveira

- 7. Xuanang Feng
- 8. Walyson Benetolo Souza
- 9. Amanda Nash
- 10. Walter Analetto
- 11. Christiana Jussome
- 12. Randy Tran
- 13. Cassie Roberts
- 14. Winnie Chen
- 15. Nikko Dearing
- 16. James Calo

Here are the next two weeks:

Monday, November 16, 2015	5,6,7,1,2	Early-release, Content, School Committee, PARCC Public Forum at MHS, 4 pm
Tuesday, November 17, 2015	4,5,6,7,1,2	
Wednesday, November 18, 2015	3,4,5,6,7,1	
Thursday, November 19, 2015	2,3,4,5,6,7	Fall Musical, 7:30 pm
Friday, November 20, 2015	1,2,3,4,5,6	Fall Musical, 7:30 pm, Adams Breakfast, Got Grit Lunch, Solid as a Rock Lunch
Saturday, November 21, 2015		Fall Musical, 7:30 pm, Frank Says Hi Holiday Fair at MHS, AP MATH AT CHELSEA, GTC Hall of Fame Dinner
Sunday, November 22, 2015		xxxx
Monday, November 23, 2015	7,1,2,3,4	Early-release, Content, Pajama Day
Tuesday, November 24, 2015	6,7,1,2,3,4	Wacky Tacky Day
Wednesday, November 25, 2015	1,5,7	11:00 Dismissal, Blue and Gold Day, Pep Rally, Breakfast only, No Lunch
Thursday, November 26, 2015		No School-Thanksgiving
Friday, November 27, 2015		No School-Thanksgiving



Come see Malden High School play production in their annual fall musical, Willy Russell's thrilling drama, *Blood Brothers*, November 19th, 20th, and 21st at 7:30 p.m. in the Malden High School Jenkins Auditorium. *Blood Brothers* is one of the most prized musicals in London West End theater history.

Blood Brothers tells the tale of two fraternal twins separated at birth and follows them through their journeys growing up in two completely different environments, as they experience love and face tragedy. The musical toggles between a sweet coming of age tale and a bleak look at the class system in mid-century Great Britain. The commentary within the play about income inequality, the cycles of poverty and the nature of gun violence is particularly relevant.

Tickets are \$5 each for students and seniors, and \$8 for general admission. You can buy your tickets at the door one hour prior to the show time, or online at:

http://www.brownpapertickets.com/event/2327424

Warning: Play contains some adult language and themes as well as onstage violence.

The show is intended for viewers middle-school aged and above.

Please contact me if you have any questions - Sean Walsh

Spirit Week at Malden High School

Spirit Week really starts this year on Thursday, November 19th with our annual Fall Play Production Show; this year the students will do the musical *Blood Brothers*. The musical is performed again on Friday and Saturday nights. Shows are at 7:30 pm in the Jenkins Auditorium. Under the direction of Sean Walsh the Play Production class has worked tirelessly to be ready for their big nights. Todd Cole, Miranda Libkin, and Allen Phelps also play major supporting roles in getting the students ready.

On Monday, November 23rd the school participates in <u>Pajama Day</u>. Students and staff wear appropriate sleeping attire if they wish. Points are awarded to the graduation class with the most participation. Our National Honor Society members serve as point counters for the week. They also help run the Pep Rally events held in the gym.

On Tuesday, November 24th the school will host Wacky Tacky Day. Per usual, students and staff are allowed to wear wacky tacky outfits (think mismatch, staff look-alikes, late for Halloween et al). Tremendous pressure on me this year; past "dress-ups" have included Eminem, Nicki Minaj, Lady Gaga, Psy (Gangnam Style), Snapchat, Snooky and more. Oh boy...

On Wednesday, November 25^{th} the school hosts the annual Pep Rally in the gym. It is also Blue and Gold Day and all students and staff are

encouraged to wear their Malden High School colors. The day starts with face painting in Cafeteria Boyle by our art staff and students. Breakfast is served on this day but not lunch.

The Pep Rally features our football and cheerleading squads, our dance teams, the award winning band and chorus, and the team competitions culminating with the tug-o-war between classes. Many recent graduates usually find their way back to the Pep Rally. The graduation class with the most points (from the dress up days, competitions, hallway decorating) is declared the overall winner. Dismissal is from the gym before 11 am. Your families are welcome to attend.

About an hour after Pep Rally the annual tag/flag football game between the junior and senior girls takes place at Macdonald Stadium. The last couple of contests have been played in bone crunching weather and torrential rains; great fun!

While all of this is happening during Spirit Week the 4 classes are engaged in a <u>"Spirit"</u> banner decorating contest. The banners get hung near or in the gym prior to the Pep Rally. Crucial points go to the best banner.

On Thanksgiving Day Malden High School and Medford High School compete in the 3rd oldest high school Thanksgiving Day football game in the United States. This year the game returns to Medford at the traditional start time of 10 am. A win gives Malden High School sole possession and undisputed claim to the Greater Boston League title.

Following the football game Malden High School will serve as the site of the annual Bread of Life "Don't be Alone" Thanksgiving Dinner for families and individuals in need. The dinner is held from 12 noon until 2 pm. In addition to the hundreds of folks in attendance at the meal, hundreds of meals are also delivered to folks who can't get out to the

dinner. Many of our students and staff contribute by donating to Bread of Life financially, with their time, or by baking something for the day.

Finally, on Saturday, November 28th the City hosts the annual Parade of Holiday Traditions. Clubs, groups, teams are encouraged to participate. The parade kicks off at 2 pm at the Salemwood School and ends at City Hall. Each school is asked to design a holiday wreath for City Hall. Our art department has taken on the challenge!

I have tried to capture the essence of all of the upcoming events but I am sure I missed something. Please don't hesitate to ask me or a veteran administrator/teacher if you have any questions or if you would like to be involved in any way.

Thanks.

Dana Brown, Principal

Support the Bread of Life and bring your canned goods to any office!

Special Note to students and staff: any student who needs to reset their X2 password, can go to the library or H304 before or after school.

Please contact Beth Horwitz or Mary Liberge with questions.

Winter Sports start Monday, November 30th. Student-athletes must be academically eligible and must have all paperwork returned in order to tryout. Contact the Athletic Department with any questions.

ATTENTION MHS! Nedlam's Workshop is officially open!!! Come check out the space and learn how to use a 3-D printer, build a circuit, make a robot and much more! Stop by Tuesdays and Thursdays after school and work on your own project with other students and teachers. You can find us in the basement of the Holland Building, adjacent to the Auto Shop!

All are welcome.

THE STARR CENTER is now open to any student on MONDAYS FROM 1:30 pm-3:00 pm and WEDNESDAYS FROM 9:30 am -12:30 pm. Everything is confidential and there is no CO\$T. The STARR Center is located within the Nurse's Office.